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Gen. Sherman, in a letter to Quartermaster Gen. Meigs, says: "You may use my name in any circular addressed to the Quartermasters of the army, to the effect, that every part of the Southern country will support their armies by a judicious system of foraging. More animals are lost to your department while standing idle, hitched to their wagons, than during the long and seamingly hard marches into the interior."

The newspapers are now all commenting on, and conjecturing about, the Peace rumors, the mission of Mr. Blair and Mr. Singleton, the rumared appointment of Mr. Stephens and others as commissioners from the South, &c., &c. But every thing, as yet, is mere rumor and conjecture, and speculation. There appears to be nothing definite or certain-nothing reliable.

The Union State Convention for organizing civil government in Tennessee, assembled at Nashville, on the 11th instant. A very exciting debate ensued on the question of a basis of voting, and the Convention adjourned over at night to avoid a threatened difficulty among some of the members.

The N. Y. Journal of Commerce sees no ground for foreign intervention, after the 4th of March next. It thinks that England has fairly preserved the spirit of neutrality, and France has delighted to trample the long cherished Monroe Doctrine under foot.

The new seal of the State of Nevada is nine inches in circumference-too large for any practical use. The design represents the sun rising over mountains, a railroad train, a quartz mill, a tunnel, a man dumping ore, and a six mule team hauling rock. The motto is, "All for our country."

The report of the Board of Visitors of the U. S. Naval Academy shows that there is a want of care in selecting candidates, and a low standard of general scholarship required for admission, injurious to the utility of the institution.

The lady's maid of a fashionable marchioness in London, whose style of dress far exceeds that of her mistress, having occasion to write an order to a perfumer, requested him to send a dozen bottles of "O Dick Alone."

A bill has been prepared, and will be shortly introduced in the U.S. Congress, for an airline railroad to New York. There is a strong feeling in favor of some legislation on this subject.

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